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THE THIRD SESSION

Bradner, of Cochise, Resigns Speakership and Linney Is Chosen

Although the lower house was a few minutes behind schedule time, both branches of the legislature were organized and in working condition by eleven o'clock last Monday morning. In the Senate President Cuniff called the body to order promptly to order at ten o'clock. Judge McCollum, of Globe, made a brief speech in which he tendered his resignation as secretary of the Senate. Con. P. Cronin acted as secretary Monday morning and was retained in that capacity, although not officially elected to that position. After notifying the governor and the house of the fact that their body had perfected its organization, the senate took a recess until two o'clock in the afternoon.

IN THE HOUSE

The looked for fight between Sam Bradner and Hartwell Linney for the Speakership of the House did not materialize. At 10:40 Mr. Bradner called the House to order. The roll call showed all members present except Mr. Cooks, Maricopa, who is sick at his home in the Buckeye country.

After prayer by Rev. Thornton, Mr. Bradner called Captain Kelton to the chair. Taking a position on the floor of the House, Mr. Bradner declared that for the sake of harmony in the legislature and the democratic party he wished to tender his resignation. His remarks were greeted by applause, not that the members were glad he would no longer be the presiding officer, but because they realized that by taking this action he had eliminated all possibility of party strife.

Billy Graham, of Cochise, then nominated H. H. Linney, of Yavapai, for speaker, while Frank Crofoot, placed Kirk T. Moore in nomination as the republican candidate. Linney and Moore exchanged complimentary votes with the result that Linney was chosen by a vote of 30 to 4.

Mr. Linney took the chair and without delay called for nominations for chief clerk. L. F. Sweeting, of Greenlee county, was nominated and elected unanimously. Pete Munch, of Santa Cruz county, was unanimously elected assistant chief clerk and also by unanimous vote, Walter Brawner, of Maricopa county, was again chosen sargeant-at-arms.

On motion the chair appointed a committee of one member from each county to settle the question of additional clerkships.

At this juncture a message was received from Governor Hunt stating that inasmuch as his message was extremely long and had already been printed in pamphlet form and distributed among the members, he would not read it.

The House then adjourned until 2 o'clock.

That the current and contingent expenses of the present session of the legislature will approximate $50,000 was the statement made in a report Tuesday morning by the appropriation committee of the Senate.

According to this committee the sum of $22,680 for the actual legislative expenses, while the salaries of employees will amount to $16,720. The mileage of members will reach $2,800, while it is expected the contingent expenses will eat up the greater part of $8,300. This means that it will cost approximately $833 a day to conduct the legislature, the approximation having been made on the basis of a sixty day session. With their report the committee presented Senate Bill No. 1, which makes an appropriation of the sum mentioned for legislative expenses.

Roy Scarlett, of Layton, has been chosen for one of the clerks.

HUNT PRISON IDEAS ARE ATTACKED

The state wide controversy over Governor Hunt's prison reform system was given additional fuel Wednesday when State Auditor J. C. Callaghan submitted to the governor his annual report in which he bitterly assailed the conduct of the state penitentiary under the honor system. The report seeks to show that prison reform practiced under the direction of the governor has been a failure. The state auditor also complains that as a member of the state board of control he was never consulted by the governor concerning appointments. The governor admits he never consulted Mr. Callaghan on appointments, because the law does not require that he shall. In reply, to State Auditor Callaghan's criticism of his prison policies the executive asserts that Callaghan knows nothing of the working of the system.

Both houses of the legislature met Tuesday and adjourned in order to allow the standing committees to complete their preliminary work.

DRY BY TWO VOTES

Voters of Safford for Second Time Have Determined To Be Dry

The second local option election closed in Safford at 6 o'clock last Wednesday evening, when the vote polled said the town must remain dry. The vote stood 79 to 77, two majority in favor of prohibition.

The election went off quietly, with no arrests, nor any particular disturbances but each side working earnestly.

The polls opened early, and several amusing things followed during the day. They closed at 6 in the evening and the result was announced in less than an hour.

One thing that attracted a large amount of good natured comment and attention, was when twenty-eight women marched from the Jones Hotel to the polls and demanded a vote. This was refused them by the board and they left. These ladies had no doubt been misled by the opinion of the county attorney which was written and wrapped up in the package of supplies, together with printed affidavits for them to swear in their votes, and which was opened by the election board. The opinion of the county attorney was that women could vote and the board so ruled.

This developed opposition and County Attorney Crosby was sent for. He maintained that the women had a right to vote, but the unanimous opinion of the other attorneys present was that no one could vote whose name did not appear on the great register, then the board reversed its first decision, and decided that the name of all voters must either appear on the register or that he furnish satisfactory evidence that he had registered before a compitent officer. Sixteen votes were sworn in.

Some of the ladies felt very much aggrieved when they were denied the privelege of voting, but their names were not on the register and, therefore, had no right to vote. Had they been permitted to do so, it would have made the election illegal, for the purpose of the great register is to compel every vote to be cast legally.

This election probably forever closes the local option question in Safford and it will remain a closed chapter.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, will meet at the parsonage every first and third Wednesday of each month at 2:30 p. m.

Preaching Services every second and fourth Sunday of each month, both morning and night at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. and prayer meeting every first, third and fifth Sunday of each month at 7:30 p. m. Sunday School every Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Come one, come all.

REV. BARKER NORTHRUP, Pastor.

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GONE TO LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Welker returned from Miami Saturday, where they had been for Mrs. Welker's health. Monday morning as Mrs. Welker was no better, they left for Los Angeles, where she will enter a hospital. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. H. C. Layton.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Will be glad to have you present at both Sunday School and Church next Sunday. You will receive a friendly hand shake.

Notice of Warning

Notice is hereby given that hereafter any person flooding the streets of Safford will be arrested and prosecuted.

ROBT. MORRIS, Street Supervisor.

50-4t

Money to Loan

Money to loan on land in the Gila valley. Inquire of H. F. ROGGIE.

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For Sale

One share Montezuma water. Apply to W. L. NELSON. 51-2t

There is no better medicine made for colds than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It acts on nature's plan, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions, aids expectoration; and restores the system to a healthy condition. For sale by Safford Drug Co. 51-4t

Mrs. Sally Blake is visiting relatives and friends in Globe.

Wrs. W. A. Wilson, of Solomonville, was in Safford Wednesday.

ALL DISPOSED OF

Liquor Cases, in Court Many Months, Finally Cleared From Docket

After being in several courts for about one half year the famous "boot legging" cases were finally disposed of Wednesday, when a $20 fine on each offense was inposed by Judge Shute in the Superior Court on ten cases, and the fines were paid.

These cases will readily be recalled from the fact that two detectives from Los Angeles collected the evidence and caused the arrests to be made. All were first taken before the Superior Court, but dismissed for want of jurisdiction. New warrants were immediately served and all the defendants taken before the justice of the peace at Central, where they were all, excepting one, found guilty and fines imposed, ranging from $50 to $200. The cases were all appealed and later the case against Ed Branch was tried in the Superior Court and a verdict of guilty was returned, and a fine of $300 imposed. An appeal was taken and the other cases postponed, pending the decision of the Supreme Court.

The Los Angeles detectives were present at each trial with the evidence they had collected, and although the Supreme Court has not yet handed down a decision in these cases, they were finally dismissed on Wednesday through a plea of guilty and a fine of $20 each.

OTHER COURT ITEMS

On Wednesday a demurrer to the indictments charging rout against Jos. H. and Newt. Hinton and the five McEuen boys was entered by Attorneys Stratton and Jacobs. The motion was overruled the next morning and the defendants plead not guilty. The trial was set for the 18th.

The jury was empanelled and the trial of Perfecto Alday, charged with the murder of Severo Sirrano was begun yesterday.

The indications are that court will last fully two weeks longer.

Judge Shute returned to Globe yesterday.

DEATH OF BABY GIRL

The six-weeks old baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Bingham died Sunday evening after an illness of only a few hours. Funeral services were held Monday at the house and were conducted by Bishop Welker. Interment was made in the Union cemetery.

Here is a message of hope and good cheer from Mrs. C. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va., who is the mother of eighteen children. Mrs. Martin was cured of stomach trouble and constipation by Chamberlain's Tablets after five years of suffering, and now recommends these tablets to the public. Sold by Saffood Drug Co. 51-4t

DID NOT GET HIM

Not at All Anxious to Return to the State of Arizona

Deputy Sheriff Frank McBride, who went to Texas on January 7th, to get R. E. Lee, charged with compelling H. E. Smith to kill one of Marshall & Foster's cows and then pay him $2,000, returned home last week without his prisoner.

Lee had been arrested by Sheriff Smith of Banderia county and the requisition papers were forwarded to Texas but did not reach there until the 18th. In the mean time Lee had been released on a writ of habeas corpus and had gone to Kerrville, where he was re-arrested on a fugitive warrant but as no papers came he had to be released the second time.

After Lee was turned loose he went to cedar brakes and it was impossible to again locate him. Had the papeas arrived in time McBride would have returned with his man.

Mr. McBride states that Sheriff Smith of Banderia county gave him every assistance in his power to secure his man.

"THE MOON GIRL"

Billie Burkes clean cut comedy success: The "Moon Girl" is announced as the attraction. At the Opera House, Safford, Saturday, February 15.

The "Moon Girl" unfolds a naive little story, coherent and cohesive, it abounds in wholesome situations which give ample scope to the histrionic ability of the players.

It is a rolicking piece of theatrical property with laughter as the key note. Tickets on sale at the Opera House.

"The Moon Girl" the merry Billie Burke farce will be the offering at Opera House, Safford, Saturday, February 15. Billie Burke never wrote anything funnier than "The Moon Girl" there is life and action throughout the two acts. "The Moon Girl" takes on speed before the first act is five minutes old and never slacks up until the curtain falls. There is plot and continuity to the story, the whole entertainment was concocted for laughing purposes with highly successful results. The musical interuptions are many and pleasing. To those who like to be amused the comedy should make a direct appeal. To those who like to see clever men and women who really can do something the production is cheerfully recommended.

TO THE LEGISLATURE

Anthon Jacobson left in his automobile Saturday, accompanied by W. W. Pace, his daughter, Miss Marie, and Miss Della Owens. Mr. Jacobson and Mr. Pace will attend the special session of the legislature.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Thorpe last Saturday, leaving a fine baby boy.

FOR THE TREE MEN

Arizona Commission of Agriculture and Horticulture. Order No. 3

Since "crown gall" is common occurrence in all parts of the country, occuring in practically all nurseries, particularly in the west, since this disease is already pervalent in Arizona and since it is impossible by means of inspection to entirely prevent further introduction of the infection, one per cent is hereby established as the maximum degree of infection to be passed by Arizona Crop Pest Inspectors. If more than one tree in a hundred of a kind (apple or peach, for instance) is plainly infected with crown gall, all of that kind will be rejected and not released. Such other kinds of trees or plants as may be in the same shipment, but do not show crown gall infection to exceed one per cent will be released. Every tree or plant showing crown gall will be discarded. If the shipment, or any kind of plant or tree comprising the shipment, shows infection in excess of one per cent, samples, selected in the presence of the consignee or some other person if possible, will be submitted to office of the State Entomologist and the remainder of the diseased stock held for advices from the owner as to option specified in Section 15 Crop Pest Law of 1912. If one per cent or less of the shipment, or any kind of plant or tree contained therein, is found to show crown gall infection, all diseased and suspected stock must be burned, as a condition of the issuance of the release for the balance of the stock.

For the protection of the consignee, trees that are "strongly suspected" of crown gall infection will be discarded at the time of inspection, but in figuring the percentage of trees infected when the amount is close to one per cent, none but well developed and characteristic infections will be counted. Roughened graft unions should not be counted as crown gall infections unless the development of "callus" at that point is excessive as illustrated in Bul, 186 (Plate VIII. fig. 2) of the Bureau of Plant Industry, United States Department of Agriculture. When a shipment or any kind of tree vine or plant in a shipment shows well defined crown gall infection in exccess of one per cent of the stock, such stock will not be reshipped or destroyed on account of crown gall insection until samples have been passed upon by the State Entomologist or Assistant State Entomologist.

A. W. MORRILL, State Entomologist.

Morrison's Home Restaurant

Adjoining Houck's Grocery, Safford.

Regular boarders, $25 per month.
Regular meals, 35 cents.
Special orders served to parties.
Meals cooked and served to order.

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OLD TIMER GONE

T. T. Hunter, Pioneer and Ex-soldier Gone to His Final Rest

On Saturday, February 1, 1913, Thomas T. Hunter died at his home in Safford, at the age of sixty-nine years.

The funeral was held Wednesday under the auspices of the Masonic lodge, and the body was interred in the Union cemetery.

Thomas T. Hunter was one of our earliest pioneers, having arrived in Willcox in 1880, where he lived for several years. From there he moved to the Aravaipa canyon and engaged in the cattle business.

A number of years later he came to Safford and has resided here ever since. He was elected justice of the peace several times, also a member of the city council, and acted as postmaster during President Cleveland's administration.

He was also a member of the 13th Legislature which met in Prescott.

He served with distinction and valor in the Confederate army all through the rebellion, and was a prominent member of the Confederate Veterans.

He was a Mason of high standing, having passed the 32d degree.

Mr. Hunter was one of the few old timers who contributed valuable writings, from personal experience, to Arizona's history, which was begun several years ago by Miss Charlotte Hall.

He leaves a wife and four daughters, Mrs. H. L. Castle, Mrs. Alice Davis, Mrs. J. N. Stratton and Miss Lee Hunter.

CITY COUNCIL

The town council met in special session Friday evening, January 31.

Present: Mayor Prina, Councilman Ridgway, Jacobson and Schroder; Clerk Link.

Absent: Councilman Welker, who entered shortly before adjournment.

The minutes of the meeting of January 20th read and approved.

The minutes of the meeting of January 8th were amended to show demand of Safford Ice and Creamery Co. for wood purchased by Justice W. B. Fonda, disallowed.

Demands of Eureka Fire Hose Company for $85.00 for hose cart and of W. H. Dallas for $37.71 for freight on same allowed and ordered paid; also demand of Jesse Anglin for $16.50 for sprinkling.

On motion of Mr. Ridgway, seconded by Mr. Jacobson, it was unanimously carried that 200 feet more of fire hose be ordered, and the clerk was instructed to order same at same price formerly paid; also one ℄ tip for hose nozzle was ordered, same being included in the motion.

It was moved and carried that Mr. Schroeder be authorized to have a small house built for hose cart on lot 14, block 46, next to Chief Schroder's house.

Superintendent C. C. Mallard, of the Arizona Eastern Railroad, appeared before the council in regard to building a new switching track on the north side of the main line. He presented a blue print and ordinance to the council, who decided to refer same to the city attorneys before taking final action on same, although expressing themselves favorably as track will be laid on company ground and only four or five feet of the cars will be projecting over the street.

Nothing further appearing, the council adjourned.

IMPROVMENT LEAGUE

There will be a meeting of the Civic Improvement League this evening (Friday), at the Chamber of Commerce. Business of importance to be transacted, and all members are requested to attend.

Mrs. Annie E. Bourne left Monday for Tucson.

S. R. McAlexander pays cash for hay, wheat, corn and eggs. 51-2t

Mrs. John F. Weber went to Tucson yesterday to meet her brothers, Joseph and Charles Qualey.

Mrs. Alice Davis arrived Tuesday from Oakland, Cal., to be present at the burial of her father, T. T. Hunter.

Mrs. Ruth Anderson returned the first of the week from Globe, where she had been on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Gates.

Mrs. Calvin Clifford came down from her home in Clifton last week and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jacobson.

Wm. E. Stephens has finished overhauling and tighenting the floor of the moving picture hall owned by C. S. Gilpin. The work has added greatly to the looks and comfort of the hall.

NOT TOO SEVERE

Capital Punishment Necessary for the Proper Protection of Society

Among the subjects recommended to the Arizona Legislature by Gov. Hunt is the abolition of capital punishment. For the benefit of our law makers we reproduce an article written for the New York American by Walter N. Thayer, who was warden of Dannemora penitentiary for seven years:

"One of the questions now being agitated is whether capital punishment shall be abolished and life imprisonment substituted. As I have had some experience with capital punishment, will you kindly permit me to state my views?

"For seven years I was warden of the State Prison at Dannemora, and during that period there were nine executions. Naturally my position brought me in contact with the criminal classes of the professional type, as Dannemora is a prison for men who have served at least two previous terms.

"Capital punishment is intented as a deterrent of murder. Would life imprisonment have the same deterrent effect? I don't believe it would. Let me try to prove it.

"Michigan has abolished the death penalty. When I was attending the National Prison Congress at Austin, Texas, in 1897, I met General Chamberlain, the warden of the prison at Jackson, Michigan. He told me of a murderer sent to his prison for life. This man deliberately killed a fellow convict before he had been a a month in prison. Shortly afterward he killed one of the prison officers. As he was serving the highest penalty known to the law, nothing could be done to him.

"Kornell Loth of Schenectady, whose execution took place at Dannemora while I was in charge, told me that the husband of the women whom he had murdered (by chopping her to pieces with an axe) gave him $20 for the job. I remarked that that was a very low price to receive for killing a person, and he replied that he would kill any one for $10. Was he fit to live?

"Charles N. Davis was executed during my time at Dannemora for outraging and killing a six-year-old girl at Cohoes. Will any father or mother say the punishment was too great?

"I was once talking with a man who was an ardent advocate of the abolition of the death penalty, and neither was able to convince the other. Later during the conversation I inquired after the health of his son, a fine young man. He answered me that he was well, but in business in a tough part of the city. I asked him if some tough should kill his son, what punishment should in his estimation be meted out to him. He replied: "The law would never have a chance. I'd kill him in court." Still he would have thought life imprisonment sufficient for the murderer. Are we not prone to deal more leniently with a man who murders some one else's child or wife than we would be if it was our own?

"I am not of a blood-thirsty disposition, but I believe laws should be passed making it a capital offense to attempt to take the life of a president, governor or mayor.

"I believe the delay in trial, conviction and execution of a murderer is encouragement to the criminal."

SOCIETY

Monday afternoon at half past two o'clock, Mrs. Ph. Frudenthal entertained at auction bridge at the Jones Hotel in honor of her sister's birthday, Mrs. Freda Mashbir.

The afternoon was pleasantly spent in playing auction bridge, at which Mrs. C. F. Solomon won first prize, a beautiful china plate. Miss Alice Redewell received the special guest prize, a book, Rubyat, and Miss Brownlee, received second guest prize, a pillow cover.

A dainty luncheon of pineapple salad, hot rolls, olives, deviled eggs, raspberry tarts, angel and devil food cake and cocoa was served.

Mrs. Mashbir was the recipient of many beautiful presents.

Mrs. D. T. Adams entertained a number of relatives and friends at dinner Sunday, the occasion being her twentieth birthday.

Are You a Cold Sufferer?

Take Dr. King's New Discovery. The best cough, cold, throat and lung medicine made. Money refunded if it fails to cure you. Do not hesitate—take it at our risk. First dose helps. J. R. Wells, of Floydada, Texas, writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery cured my terrible cough and cold. I gained 15 pounds." Buy it at Safford Drug Co., Safford, Ariz. 51-4t

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BANK OF SAFFORD

ADOPTS SCHOOL SAVINGS PLAN

That the proposition made by the Bank of Safford in this space last week proved a grand success in teaching children to save their money and do business in a business way, and that The Guardian is carefully read all the time, is proven by the fact that hundreds of school children are saving their pennies and nickles to deposit in the Bank, and that the first deposit on this plan was $25.00 from Florence.

Yours very truly,
E. W. CLAYTON.

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

John C. Gung'l
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW
Willcox, Arizona
Irrigation, Land and Mining Law a Specialty.

Stratton & Lynch,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Notary Public
Safford, Arizona

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

W. V. Thorpe
Safford, Arizona
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
Money Loaned on Farm security
Office: Safford Drug Co.

LAND AGENT

Albert T. Colton
LAND AGENT
Safford. - - Arizona
Thirty-five years' experience in Irrigation Engineering, Land and Mine Surveying.
Representing Claimants Before the Land Office in Land Entries, Contests, Patenting Mining Claims, Right of Way for Canals, Reservoirs and Other Purposes.
Investigation and Reports Made on Mines, Real Estate, Irrigation, Reservoirs and Water Power.

CHIROPRACTOR

Roderick Williams
CHIROPRACTOR
Safford, - Arizona

Do you know that more real danger lurks in a common cold than in any other of the minor ailments? The safe way is to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, a thoroughly reliable preparation, and rid yourself of the cold as quickly as possible. This remedy is for sale by Safford Drug Co. 51-4t

FOR THE FARMERS

We can remember quite destinctly when the general opinion of the farmer was that he was a sort of a good natured "gawk," to be ridiculed when he came to town, because he inspected every article shown in the store windows and read, with interest every sign he saw.

It is not the case now for the world is fully awake to the fact that the farmer is the man upon whom all must depend.

It is a fact that the farmer himself has been slower to realize this than the business world. The farmer knew that he was needed but it remained for science to teach him the importance of his existence.

During the past ten years the farmer has made more money each year than he ever did before. He has done this with less labor; he has lived better; he has given his children better educations; he has eaten better food and slept in better beds; he has lived in better houses; with more cheerful surroundings; his stock, tools and machinery have been taken care of better. He has spent more money, has lived better and has made more money.

His ground is the same as it was before but science has taught him how to handle it.

Among the institutions that has done the most for the farmer, (and when the farmer is benefitted, we all feel the effects),is the College of Agriculture, of the State University of Tucson.

The professors of Agriculture there are the peers of any in the world. The demonstration train sent over the state a few weeks ago by that institution proved that to all.

Now the college is following that with a two weeks scientific course in farming at the University at Tucson, beginning next Monday. The lectures and demonstrations will be in horticulture, agronomy, plant breeding, animal husbandary, dry farming, farm mechanics and farm management. Each evening will be devoted to illustrated lectures, musical programs, art exhibits and atheletic events.

This course is given free for two weeks. Board may be had at the students dining room for 25 cents a meal, and arrangements have been made for reduced rates on the railroads.

Every farmer in the State of Arizona should attend.

Dr. King's New Discovery

Soothes irritated throat and lungs, stops chronic and hacking cough, relieves tickling throat, tastes nice. Take no other; once used, always used. Buy it at Safford Drug Co., Safford, Ariz. 51-4t

For Rent

Four room houses all with water in them also front and back porches.
41-tf B. F. FOSTER.

PROFITS TOO GREAT

Numerous Charges are Recommended by Secretary Osborn

Some interesting figures and recommendations are embodied in the first annual report of the secretary of state, submitted to the governor.

The report shows that between February 14 and December 31,1912, the office of the secretary collected $42,189.25. The expenses of the office, including salaries, for the same period were $18,562.44, leaving a net profit of more than $20,000.

This profit, Secretary Sidney Osborn declares in his report to the governor, is entirely too high. He says the same thing in another report that is to be submitted to the legislature.

Governor Hunt has issued only seven pardons between February 14 and December 31, 1912, according to the report. No pardons have been granted since.

Governor Hunt issued 46 paroles, 147 commutations of sentence, 5 reprieves and 18 restorations of citizenship. Two proclamations of award and ten holiday proclamations were issued. Seven commissioners of deeds, 678 notaries public were commissioned. The number of executive appointments made was 104, and 51 official bonds were approved.

The report that goes to the legislature will point out the absolute necessity of revising the election laws. Various changes in other laws affecting the secretary's office will be advocated strongly.

It is provided in the election laws that by the first Monday of the third month preceding an election the secretary shall have ready for distribution printed pamphlets containing the constitutional amendments and bills to be referred to the people at such election. The pamphlets shall be mailed to all registered voters sixty days prior to the election.

But the constitution gives electors the right to file initiative and referendum petitions up to thirty days prior to an election. It is manifestly impossible to have all the amendments and bills printed ninety days before. Last year only the amendments referred to the people by the legislature, and the woman's suffrage amendment were in the office of the secretary August 5, the first Monday of the third month preceding the election. They were printed and distributed. Later a supplemental pamphlet containing the other measures was distributed, in order to comply with the spirit of the law.

Another point of conflict is that registration is permitted up to twenty days before an election. By far the heaviest registration is within thirty days prior to the closing of the books. Pamphlets cannot be mailed out to all the registered voters sixty days before an election, because many register later. No one on earth or in heaven could comply with the strict letter of the law.

The report will recommend strongly that provision be made to print copies of each law as soon as it is passed by the legislature, and their free distribution to interested persons. Under the present system no printed copies are available till the session laws are published, which is usually about sixty days after the close of the session. In the mean time persons requiring copies of laws have to have certified copies prepared in the office of the secretary. A charge of twenty cents a folio is made for that work. Last spring the legislature appropriated $300 to employ extra stenographers to turn out certified copies. The $300 was expended and in sixty days the receipts for copies were $2072.02. Secretary Osborn thinks certified copies should be furnished at cost, no more. Many persons were gouged heavily to pay that profit of $1700 and over.

Five hundred copies of the legislative journals were printed at a cost of $3450.55, an exceptionally low bid. Less than 250 copies were distributed. The secretary holds that the $3450 55 was wasted and will recommend that no more money be spent in printing journals.

It cost $2727.70 to have the session laws printed, and the return from copies sold has been $921.20. The initiative and referendum publicity pamphlets cost $2291.22. As a result of the motor vehicle law, $10,458 was collected, the expenses being $998.50. Six hundred and eighty-five notarial commissions were issued at $2.50 apiece; total, $1712.50.

Parents and Teachers

Program of Parents and Teachers' meeting, to be held in Thatcher, February 15, 1913.

Address of Welcome, by R. E. Lee Wixom.

Response, by Henry Flury.

School Room Discipline, by Miss Edna Ledwich and D. B. Jones.

The School as a Social Center, by Miss Mary Wise and Mrs. Inez Lee.

Care of the Pupil Outside of School Hours, by Miss Daisy B. Catlett and P. C. Merrill.

Are the Requirements for Graduation from our Present School System Thorough Enough? by Prof. A. C. Peterson and Prof. C. W. B. Link.

Order of Business, Election of Program and Executive Committee.

Musical Numbers, by E. M. W. Jones.

E. M. PLUMB,
Secretary,

51-2t

No Need to Stop Work

When the doctor orders you to stop work it staggers you. I can't, you say. You know you are weak, run down and failing in health day by day, but you must work as long as you can stand. What you need is Electric Bitters to give tone, strength and vigor to your system, to prevent break down and build you up. Don't be weak, sickly or ailing when Electric Bitters will benefit you from the first dose. Thousands bless them for their glorious health and strength. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c. at Safford Drug Co., Safford, Ariz. 51-4t

Cash For Poultry

Will pay cash for all your poultry at any time. If you have hogs or beeves for sale see me. I am in a position to buy them.

H. C. WHITE, Safford,
50-tf

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A SPECIAL ORDER FROM LINCOLN

By J. H. ROCKWELL.

THOMAS F. STEVENS of Palmyra, Ill., is one among the few remaining number of those who remember the early days of the rebellion and the distracting political struggles of that time. Mr. Stevens, who was first sergeant of Company B, One Hundred and Twenty-second Illinois volunteers, recently told me some very interesting details of the situation among the soldiers in the early sixties.

During October, 1864, while waiting for his regiment to come in from its pursuit of General Sterling Price, he served as adjutant at the convalescent barracks in St. Louis. Four hundred men were stationed there at that time, representing many regiments and states. About one-third of the boys were for General McClellan for president, while the remaining two-thirds were for Mr. Lincoln. About a hundred were from Illinois, which state, owing to legislative enactment, did not permit its troops to vote in the field, although many other states had made provision to that end.

As election day drew near the anxiety of the men to exercise the right of franchise—the right of American citizenship—became intense. Southern sympathizers had spread a report that the government had issued an order forbidding the furloughing of McClellan men home to vote. But the lie was given to this report in an order from the president directing that soldiers residing in states where no provision for voting in the field had been made should be given furloughs home and for a length of time that would give them ample opportunity to vote, to vote as they pleased, and return to their respective commands.

The result was that many soldiers who had intended voting against Mr Lincoln voted for him, because he had given them an untrammeled ballot and had proved to them that he was not the narrow minded partisan his enemies tried to make him appear.

Lieutenant Chapman of Mr. Stevens' regiment was in command of the barracks, and when he began to consider the matter he found that no one had authority to issue the furloughs that were being asked for except General Schofield, and he was away after Price and could not be reached. His adjutant at St. Louis when approached said he could do nothing, and, although he had telegraphed the secretary of war in regard to the matter he could get no answer from him.

But some of the men knew Mr Lincoln, knew his kindly disposition and his disregard of red tape, and they suggested to Lieutenant Chapman that a telegram be sent to him asking that he relieve the situation. This proposition, however, was not received with much enthusiasm. Many of the Republicans said it would be useless, as the president could not consider such a matter unless it reached him through the proper channel, and the Democrats were indifferent, saying that they would go to no trouble or expense then, but would wait until they got a chance later, when they would show the abolitionists whether or not they could continue to run things and whether a white man was not as good as a negro.

After a long discussion, in which the lieutenant and Mr. Stevens assured the men that all would be treated alike and with absolute fairness, it was decided that a man be sent with the telegram to the office, three miles away, and find out how much it would cost to send it. In an hour the man returned with the astonishing news that it would cost $12 to send the

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IT WOULD COST $12.

message. As the troops had not received any pay for several months few of the men had money, and the raising of $12 seemed a rather large undertaking. Finally, however, the amount was raised, and the telegram was sent to the president. This was late in the afternoon. Next morning the answer came, and it instructed the lieutenant to furlough the men as requested in the message. The men were wild over the news, and cheer after cheer went up for "Honest Abe," McClellan men outrivaling the Lincoln men in their demonstrations of delight, many of them declaring that they would cast their votes for the man who was not above looking after the common soldier, and I learned afterward that they did vote for Lincoln.

Mr Lincoln was wiser than his generation and knew better how to reach the hearts of his soldiers than either of his generals or the trained politicians of his party, for out of his great nature went an influence that wrote itself large upon the consciences of the people and in a language easy to be understood. His single, unfaltering aim was to do the right as God gave him to see the right, to the end that "a government of the people, by the people and for the people" might not perish from the earth.

Lincoln—An Inspiration

By NEIL MACDONALD.

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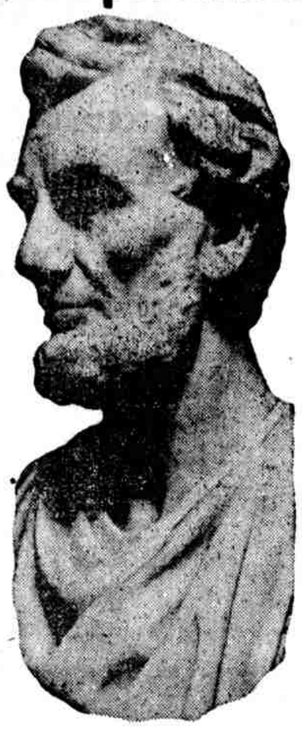


AMONG the noblest of our race
Our Lincoln stands the peer of all,
With fame the years cannot efface
While home and freedom men enthrall.

With face illumined with the light
Of greatness, Lincoln sped his way,
Resolved that freedom and the right
Throughout our country should have sway.

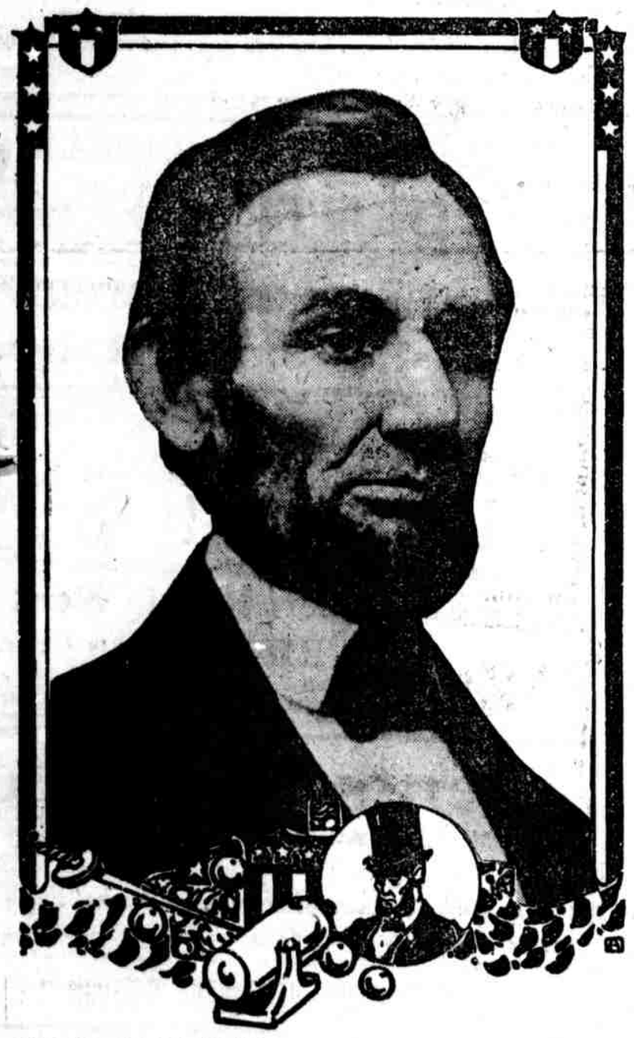
When troubles dire assailed the land
God's self appointed man appeared
To lead and lend a helping hand,
To save the fabric freedom reared.

Warm hearted, true, of soul sincere,
A man of rare, heroic mold,
With confidence, unmoved by fear,
He held intact what dear we hold.

Yea, more than this, with sword and pen
He struck at galling time worn gyves
Which had enslaved a race of men
And hope enthroned in countless lives.

Throughout all coming years his fame
Will brighter grow with lapsing time
The mention of his honored name
Will stimulate to deeds sublime.

The Truest Portrait of Lincoln



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THERE are in existence now but few original negatives of portraits of Lincoln. Brady made a number, which he sold to the government, and the portraits of Lincoln commonly seen are copies of one or another of these or of the well known Hesler picture, wherein Lincoln is shown without a beard. The above portrait is from a photograph by McNulta, taken at Springfield, Ill., just previous to Lincoln's departure for Washington in January, 1861. It is accounted about the truest portrait of Lincoln ever made. His friends at home esteemed it so highly that they chose it as the model for a painting made for the Illinois statehouse. The original negative, an old fashioned wet plate, is very well preserved and is now in the historical collection of H. W. Fay, Esq., Dekalb, Ill., by whose kind permission the present production is made.

Mr. Fay has a remarkable collection of Lincoln pictures, consisting of photographs made at over 200 different sittings, the total number of pictures in the collection being in excess of 1,000. Mr. Fay devised the scheme of exchanging a copy of this Lincoln photograph for the autograph photograph of any person of state or national fame who would communicate with him. Among those who have made the exchange are Joaquin Miller, Miss Helen Keller, Miss Jane Addams, Theodore P. Shonts, James Bryce, H. H. Kohlsaat, Brigadier General Charles King and many other people of note.

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M. E. BRENNER,
Surgeon Dentist.

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A BILL

Granting Pensions to Soldiers Who Served in Indian Wars

The following bill has been introduced in Congress by Representative Carl Hayden.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any person who served thirty days or more in any military organization, whether such person was regularly mustered into the service of the United States or not, during any of the Indian wars or campaigns against hostile Indians in any of the States or Territories of the United States from the year eighteen hundred and sixty-five to the year eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, inclusive, and was honorably discharged, or who was discharged or relieved from duty on account of wounds or dissabilities sustained or incurred in the line of duty, regardless of the length of his service, and the surviving widows of such persons, shall upon making proof of such facts, according to such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may provide, be placed upon the pension roll and be entitled to receive a pension: Provided, That where there is no record of enlistment or muster into the service of the United States or of any State or Territory in any of the Indian wars mentioned in this Act, the record of pay by the United States or by any State, Territory, or provisional authorities shall be accepted as full and satisfactory proof of such enlistments.

Sec. 2. That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of this Act and the pension laws, the name of every person, described in section one of this Act, who served in any of the said Indian wars within said period, and pay him a pension at the rate of $12 per month from the date of filing application for the same, and said pension shall continue at this rate until the beneficiary shall have reached the age of seventy years, when it shall be increased to $16 per month, and shall continue at that rate until the beneficiary shall have reached the age of seventy-five years, when it shall be increased to $20 per month; and is further authorized and directed to place the name of every such widow on the pension roll at the rate of $12 per month: Provided, That such widow has not remarried. That any person who served in any military organization in any of the Indian wars or campaigns against hostile Indians and received an honorable discharge, and who was wounded in battle or in line of duty and is now unfit for manual labor by reason thereof, or who from disease or other causes incurred in line of duty resulting in his disability is now unable to perform manual labor, shall be paid a pension under this Act of $24 per month, without regard to length of service or age: Provided further, That in this Act contained shall be construed to lessen the pension of any person who is not entitled by law to a higher pension than herein provided.

Sec. 3. That the Commissioner of Pensions be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to accept as sufficient proof of the citizenship of an applicant for a pension under this Act the fact that such applicant was, at the date of the application, an actual and bona fide resident of the United States.

Sec. 4. That section forty-seven hundred and sixteen of the Revised Statutes relating to loyalty during the Civil War is hereby repealed, so far as the same relates to this Act or to pensioners under this Act.

Sec. 5. That no pension attorney, claim agent, or other person shall be entitled to receive compensation for services rendered in presenting any claim to the Bureau of Pensions or securing any pension under this Act.

SAINT JOSEPH STAKE NEWS

Home Mission Appointments for February

Artesia—J. T. Brown and LeRoi C. Snow.

Lebanon—James T. Talley and W. W. McDonald.

Layton—E. S. Carpenter and L. R. Pace.

Thatcher—T. S. Kimball and J.H. Porter.

Central—Geo. J. Hatch and Ed.T. Lofgreen.

Pima—A. C. Peterson and Richmond Ison.

Matthews—Austin Evans and S. C. Richardson.

Emery—John Bilby and Martin Mortensen, Jr.

Eden—Geo. H. Crosby, Jr., and Wm. L. Nelson.

Bryce—George Foote and Martin Kempton.

Hubbard—Oscar G Layton and David Lee.

Graham—Joseph H. Lines and H. J. Anderson.

High Council meeting February 16th at 10 a m.

Stake Officers' meeting February 16th at 2 p. m.

Home Missionary meeting February 16th at 2 p. m.

Stake Priesthood meeting February 22nd at 2 p. m.

Seventy's meeting February 22nd at 2:45 p. m. subject "The Federal Constitution."

All who have business at any of the above meetings should be in attendance.

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Notice

To the public the road to Klondyke is open ½ mile above the Tripp ranch at sign board. This old road intersects with the new road which is being made from Aravaipa to the Gila valley. 'Tis open now for autos and vehicles.

C. C. HAYES,
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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.
(Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 02206.
U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 3, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Nancy Cluff, of Pima, Arizona, who, on January 2, 1909, made Desert Land Entry, No. 02206, for NE ¼ NE ¼, Sec. 13, T. 7 S., R. 24 E. and NW ¼ NW ¼, Sec. 18, T 7 S., R. 25 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make desert land proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, clerk of the Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 12th day of March, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Moses A. Cluff, of Pima, Arizona, Samuel U. Porter, of Central, Arizona; John Cluff, of Pima, Arizona; Alfred Cluff, of Pima, Arizona.
FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 04033
U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 3, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Leslie W. Layton, of Bryce, Arizona, who, on January 14, 1908, made Homestead Entry, No. 1254, for SW ¼ NW ¼, Sec. 1, T. 6 S., R. 24 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, clerk of Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 11th day of March, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John H. Foster, Oscar Tyler, Miles Messinger, James Porter, all of Bryce, Arizona.
FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 04227.
U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 3, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Hugh A. McBeath, of Geronimo, Arizona, who, on March 25, 1908, made Homestead Entry, No. 1493-04227, for SW ¼ SW ¼, Sec. 18, T. 4 S., R. 23 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, clerk of the Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 12th day of March, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Edward Ruston, John Q. Sayler, Abram L. Winsor, Charles N. Rose, all of Geronimo, Arizona.
FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 04414
U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 3, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Andrew J. Dodge, of Pima, Arizona, who, on June 11, 1908, made Homestead Entry, No. 1732-04414, for NE ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 32, T. 6 S., R. 25 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, clerk of the Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 13th day of March, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Harry W. Layton, Isaac Combs, both of Central, Arizona; Myron Hanchett, Thomas Dodge, both of Pima, Arizona.
FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 05435.
U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 3, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that William D. Speer, of Safford, Arizona, who, on March 30, 1909, made Desert Land Entry, No. 05435, for Lots 3 and 4, Sec. 4, Tp. 8 S., R. 26 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make desert land proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, clerk of the Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 10th day of March, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Gustavus A. Shirley, Charles Crum, Henry Carnes, John W. Lively, all of Safford, Arizona.
FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 013580
U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Ariz. February 3, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that William F. Cavness, of Safford, Arizona, who, on March 1, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 013580, for Lots 4, 5, 6 and 9, Sec. 9, Tp. 7 S., R. 26 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, clerk of the Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 11th day of March, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Walter McIntyre, George T. McIntyre, Benjamin L. Sowell, Miron F. Swanger, all of Safford, Arizona.
FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

First publication Jan. 1-Apr. 10

Notice to Co-owners

Notice is hereby given to John R. Patterson, who is co-owner in Green Mountain mining claim No. 1, and in Green Mountain mining claim No. 2 that T. N. Lamb and E. D. Beck, co-owners in said claims with John R. Patterson, have performed the annual assessment work upon said claims, Green Mountain No. 1 and Green Mountain No. 2, both in Cottonwood Mining District, Graham County, Arizona, for the year 1912.

The said T. N. Lamb and E. D. Beck have expended for work and labor upon each of said claims for the year 1912 the sum of $100.00; that labor to the amount of $100.00 was done upon each of said claims and $200.00 expended for work and labor upon the two. That John R. Patterson has not paid or contributed anything in work or labor or money for the assessment work on either of said claims for the year 1912.

T. N. LAMB,
E. D. BECK.

First publication Jan. 31—5t

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of Graham county, Arizona.

W. K. Dial Plaintiff, vs. W. J. Mayborn, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the county of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona, sends Greeting to W. J. Mayborn.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the above-entitled Court at Solomonville, in the County of Graham, State of Arizona, within twenty (20) days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons, if served in this County; in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required by law judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court affixed hereto at Solomonville this 26th day of July, 1912.
[SEAL] R. W. SMITH, Clerk.

First publication Dec. 6—10t

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION, NO. 3

Resolution of intention to construct sidewalks and curbs along and fronting on certain streets in the Town of Safford.

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Town Council of the Town of Safford, Arizona, that, the public interest and convenience requires, that there be constructed sidewalks and curbs along and fronting on M street on the East side of Lots 11 and 12 and the front of Lots 13 and 14, all in Block 39; also, on the East side of Lots 11 and 12 and the front of Lot 13, all in Block 46; said Lots and Blocks being in the Town of Safford, Arizona; also, in front of Lots 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92 and 93 in Block C and Lots 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107 and 107a in Block 1, Lassator's addition to the Townsite of Safford, as shown in the map of Lassator's addition to the Townsite of Saffrod, filed in the county recorder's office of Graham county, Arizona, July 19, 1900; also, in front of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 in Block 1, Montclair addition to the Townsite of Safford, all within the corporate limits of the Town of Safford; said sidewalks and curbs to be constructed of cement concrete as follows:

The sidewalks on the east side of Blocks 39 and and 46 to be 580 feet long and 8 feet wide; on the east side of Blocks C and 1, Lassator's addition, to be 572 feet long and 6 feet wide; on the east side of said Block 1, Montclair addition, to be 515 feet long and 5 feet wide; the width of said sidewalk shall be measured from the property line to the outside of the curb. Said sidewalks shall be constructed of a cement concrete body not less than 3½ inches thick after tamping and a cement mortar finishing coat which shall be not less than ½ inch thick; cement concrete shall be composed of 1 part Portland cement, 3 parts clean sand free from clay or loam and 5 parts screened gravel; cement mortar for finishing coat shall be composed of 1 part Portland cement and 1½ parts coarse sharp sand. The curbs shall be 6 inches wide and 1 foot deep and shall be composed of cement concrete of the same proportions as specified for sidewalks; the finishing coat of cement mortar shall be composed of 1 part Portland cement and 1 part coarse sharp sand ½ inch thick. The prepared plans and specifications are now on file with the town engineer.

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Town Council of the Town of Safford, State of Arizona; that it is the intention of the said Town Council to construct and build said sidewalks and curbs along and fronting on the above described Lots in accordance with the above and foregoing described improvements and the above mentioned plans and specifications on file with the Town Engineer. Said improvement to become a charge on said property and made as required by Chapter 55, Laws of the First Session of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, 1912.

Submitted and passed in Council assembled at the office of the Town Council of the Town of Safford, Arizona, on this the 23d day of November, A. D. 1912.

Z. C. PRINA,
Mayor of the Town Council of the Town of Safford, Arizona.
Attest:
C. W. B. LINK,
Secretary of Town Council of the Town of Safford, Arizona.

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the estate of Martha S. Lewis, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Martha S. Lewis, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within 10 months after the first publication of this notice to the undersigned, at Safford, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

A. J. LEWIS,
Executor of the estate of Martha S. Lewis, deceased.

Dated this 13th day of January 1913. 48-4t

ORDINANCE NO. 61

AN ORDINANCE, granting to the STANDARD OIL COMPANY, a corporation, permission to locate, erect, operate and maintain any warehouse, tankage, or both, on E ½ of Block 4, Lassator's Addition to the town of Safford, Arizona, for the storage of petroleum and its products.

Be It Ordained by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Safford:

Sec. 1. The Standard Oil Company, a corporation, having asked permission to locate, erect, operate and maintain a warehouse, tankage or both, on East ½ of Block 4, Lassator's Addition to the town of Safford, Arizona, for the storage of petroleum and its products, and the same having been considered by the said City Council, it is hereby ordained, and permission is hereby given and granted to the Standard Oil Company, a corporation, to locate, erect, operate and maintain a warehouse, or tankage, or both, on East ½ of block 4, Lassator's Addition to the town of Safford, Arizona, for the storage of petroleum and its products.

Sec. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after five (5) days after its passage, approval and publication.

GEO. P. JACOBSON,
Mayor Pro Tem.

Attest:
C. W. B. LINK, City Clerk.
Passed Council January 20, 1913.
First Publication January 24.

SALE OF TIMBER, Albuquerque, New Mexico, August 15, 1912. Sealed bids marked outside, "Bid, Timber Sale Application, April 17, 1912, Crook National Forest," and addressed to the District Forester, Forest Service, Albuquerque, New Mexico, will be received up to and including the 11th day of March, 1913, for 50,000,000 feet, board measure, more or less, of merchantable dead timber standing or down, and live timber designated for cutting by a Forest officer, located on an area of about 7300 acres, within or tributary to the upper part of of the Ash Creek Watershed, in approximately unsurveyed sections 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35, T. 8 S., R. 24 E.; and unsurveyed sections 2, 3, 4, 9, 10 and 11, T. 9 S., R. 24 E., G. & S. R. M., within the Crook National Forest, Arizona, estimated to be approximately 3,800,000 feet B. M. of western yellow pine, 19,450,000 feet B. M. of Douglas fir, 4,375,000 feet B. M. of white fir, 19,850,000 feet B. M. of Englemann spruce, 2,025,000 feet B. M. of Mexican white pine, and 500,000 feet B. M. of Arizona cork fir. No bid of less than $2.00 per thousand feet B. M. for all species for all timber cut prior to January 1, 1916 will be considered; the rate for all timber cut subsequent to January 1, 1916, to be readjusted by the Forester as defined in the conditions of sale. Material on the sale area not merchantable under the conditions of sale but which may become merchantable during the contract period may be sold to the successful bidder under the terms specified in the conditions of sale. A period of six years from May 1, 1913, or if the improvements are completed prior to that date, from the date of completing the construction of improvements, will be allowed for cutting and removal of the timber. A deposit of $3000 payable to the order of the First National Bank of Albuquerque, New Mexico, must be sent to that bank for each bid submitted to the District Forester. Such deposit will be retained and credited as part payment of the purchase price of the timber, should the bid be accepted. One-fifth of the deposit may in the discretion of the Forester be retained by the United States if the bid is accepted and the required bond and agreement are not executed by the successful bidder within sixty days from their receipt. Timber upon valid claims is not included in this sale. The right to waive technical defects in advertisements and bids and to reject any and all bids is reserved. The conditions of sale, with further information concerning the timber and blank form, may be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Safford, Arizona, or the District Forester, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

ARTHUR C. RINGLAND,
District Forester.

First publication Feb. 7—5t

FOR LEGISLATURE

Gist of Subjects To Be Legislated on as Submitted by the Governor

1. To provide appropriations of money for the maintenance, operation, extension, equipment, housing and current expense of state departments and institutions.

2. To provide as an emergency measure, for the registration, in the year 1913, of citizens qualified to become electors of this state.

3. To enact law prescribing a minimum wage for workers employed in mines, smelters, reduction works and other hazardous occupations.

4. To prescribe means and ways for putting into effect that amendment of the constitution of Arizona which authorizes the state to engage in industrial pursuits.

5. To enact a law abolishing capital punishment.

6. To provide appropriations of money for construction and improvement of highways; and to enact a law providing for the employment of convicts on public works for a moderate individual compensation that may be used by the prisoners for support of their families, or for securing to themselves a foothold in the world after their release.

7. To formerly accept in behalf of the state and prescribe the use of any fund or funds that may have been appropriated for the state of Arizona by the United States government.

8. To authorize the transfer of the state industrial school from Benson to Fort Grant, and to provide ways and means for effecting such transfer.

9. To enact a law making appropriations of money and prescribing ways for the compilation and publication of reports and statistics by the different state departments.

10. To enact a law authorizing, making appropriation and providing means for the acquirement and equipment by the state prison of a tract of land to be used as a farm and to be tilled and developed by convict labor for the supplying of products for prison consumption.

11. To enact a law authorizing, making appropriation and providing means for the acquirement and equipment by the state hospital for the insane of a tract of land to be used as a farm and to be tilled and developed by the inmates for the supplying of products for hospital consumption.

12. To enact a law ceding to the United States all jurisdiction over the military reservation of Fort Apache, in Navajo county; Fort Huachua, in Cochise county; Whipple Barracks and Whipple Barracks target range, in Yavapai county.

13. To provide by appropriation the amount of $450,000 to defray the expense of Arizona's participation in conferences of governors of the states held in the years 1912, 1913 and 1914.

14. To provide suitably and make appropriations for the participation and adequate representation of this state in expositions, fairs, conferences, congresses, conventions and commissions designed to set forth and advertise the natural and industrial resources and civic and social advantages of the whole or any part of the United States, or to make investigations, pursue studies and prepare reports of any industrial, sociological, econmical or financial work or system.

16. To provide an appropriation of money toward the construction of a bridge in conjunction with the federal government over the Colorado river at Yuma, Arizona; and to prescribe the use and application of such appropriation.

Sections 17 and 18 read as follows:

17. To provide for the revision and amendment of the laws of this state relating to the rules for the construction of the statutes and the general provisions relating to the effect and construction of the revised statutes of this state.

18. To provide for the arrangement, indexing and publication of the revised and amended statutes of this state.

The laws to be revised relate to the following subjects:

Duties of state officials; boards and commissions; their oaths and records kept by them.

Admission and disbarment of attorneys.

Formations of corporations, and the powers and duties of the corporation commission.

Bonds and undertakings.

Jurisdiction of courts and procedure in civil actions.

Probate proceedings.

Incorporation and disincorporation of cities and towns.

Conveyances.

Counties and county officers.

Education.

Elections.

Eminent domain.

Escheats.

Fees and salaries of officers.

Fences.

Fire companies.

Frauds and fraudulent conveyances.

Holidays.

Homesteads and exemptions.

Horticulture and agriculture.

Interest and usuary.

Juries and jurors.

License taxes.

Liens.

Live stock.

Local option.

Marriage and divorce.

Militia.

Mines.

Mortgages.

Negotiable instruments.

Partnerships.

State and public lands.

Estates and interests in lands.

Employer's liability.

Practice of medicine, dentistry, undertaking, optometry and other professions.

Principal and surety.

Public buildings and grounds.

Public institutions.

Public moneys.

Public printing.

State revenues.

State records.

Roads and highways.

Townsites.

Sanitary regulations.

Seals and scrolls.

Duties and powers of common carriers and public service corporations.

Defining crimes and providing punishment.

Banking

Insurance.

The last two paragraphs of the call read as follows:

74. To enact laws creating such new departments, institutions, boards and commissions as the needs of this state may render expedient; making appropriations of money for the creation, maintenance and operation of such departments, institutions, boards and commissions and prescribing the powers, duties, oaths of office and bonds of such departments, institutions, boards and commissions and the records to be kept by them.

75. To enact laws in accordance with the mandate contained in article 22, section 19, of the constitution of Arizona, prohibiting the practice of lobbying on the floor of either house of the legislature and placing further restrictions on the practice of lobbying.

This is the season of the year when mothers feel very much concerned over the frequent cold contracted by their children, and have abundant reason for it as every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases that so often follow. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Safford Drug Co. 51-4t

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TO BENEFIT FARMERS

A Course of Valuable Lectures to Be Given for two Weeks

The College of Agriculture of the University of Arizona will give a short course for farmers from February 10 to 22, at the University.

The lectures are to be practical and will be helpful to the farmer who is meeting agricultural conditions in Arizona for the first time. They will also aid the man who has had some experience here and is endeavoring to correct past mistakes and to introduce more up-to-date methods in his work.

The great success of the Farmers' demonstration train lends interest to this course, and in fact is what suggested the advisability of affording a further opportunity to those who are interested in agriculture.

No charge will be made for the course and the expenses will be such that practically any farmer can afford the outlay. Rooms and beds will be furnished free to those who bring their own blankets.

Evans T. Richardson is touring the state for the University, explaining the advantages of the course. He visited the towns of this valley last week and it is believed that there will be a large attendance on the part of the farmers.

ADMISSION DAY

Will Be Celebrated by a Banquet ofthe Civic League

The admission of Arizona as a State in the Union will be celebrated Fridady evening, February 14,1913, by a banquet in the M. E. Church.

A program of music and literary exercises has been arranged and a very enjoyable evening will be spent by all who attend.

The work of the Civic Improvement League is so good and beneficial that every citizen should be interested and be a member of the League. The League's success means a clean town and better business conditions, so join in and do your share of the work.

Tickets for the banquet are for sale by the committee and at The Palms.

Advertise in THE GUARDIAN.

SWEET POTATES

There is a constant and growing demand for sweet potatoes in the north and west, where the markets have not been sufficiently supplied.

The sandy, cut-over timber lands of the southern states are well adapted to the growing of sweet potatoes.

Sweet potatoes may be marketed at a greater profit if provision is made for storing them during the autumn and early winter.

To keep well in storage, sweet potatoes must be well ripened, free from disease, carefully harvested, and properly housed.

An inexpensive building, in which the moisture and temperature conditions can be controlled, will answer for storing sweet potatoes.

During the curing period the temperature of the storage room should be maintained at from 80 to 85 degrees F., and proper ventilation should be provided.

During the storage period there should not be a fluctuation of more than 5 degrees in either direction from a temperature of 54 degrees F.

The varieties to grow are those demanded by the market and which will cover the longest season.

Sweet potatoes should never be marketed in bags or in bulk.

Veneer barrels with burlap covers and hamper baskets are the most desirable packages for mild weather and double-headed barrels and bushel boxes during cold weather.

With the growing demand for sweet potatoes in the markets of the north and west there is every inducement for southern farmers to adopt improved cultural and storage methods and make the sweet potato a more important money crop.

Farmers' Bulletin No. 520, of the Department of Agriculture, gives full details. You can get one by writing.

Advertise in THE GUARDIAN.

Mrs. E. T. Ijams will leave tomorrow morning for Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, where she will spend several months with her family.

Miss Rosa Ellsworth returned Tuesday from Los Angeles, where she had been on an extended visit to relatives and friends.

Through the courtesy of Hon. H. F. Ashurst the GUARDIAN has now on hand a large supply of government garden seeds for Gila valley farmars.

John Kerr, grazing inspector of the Forest Reserve Service, came over from Albuquerque last Sunday and returned Tuesday.

"The Bachelor's Honey Moon" will be on at Brier's Hall during March. Guess what it is?

Mrs. Bauersfeld, mother of Max Bauersfeld, visited in Safford this week from Kansas.

Mrs. Will Shanley returned to her home in Globe last Sunday.

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GRAHAM CO. NEWS

Items of Interest Gathered by the Guardian's Correspondents

THATCHER

James Branham has been very ill for the past week.

Wallace Wilds, of Mesa, is spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Josephine Kimball has been quite ill for several days.

W. W. Pace left for Phoenix on Saturday to meet with the legislature.

Mrs. Edna Clawson was too ill to attend the Academy for several days this week.

Mrs. Jack McBride, of Bisbee, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Winsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions spent Saturday and Sunday visiting with their son at Pima.

The stork left a fine new baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Moody last week.

Mrs. Elzy Damron left on Monday for Clifton, where she will visit with relatives for a few weeks.

Mrs. Charles McRae, of Bisbee, came in Sunday evening to spend a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Cheney.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blazzard are the proud parents of a new baby girl that came, who came to their home Tuesday.

W. A. Moody has been home for the past week, helping to close up the deal of the Mt. Graham Lumber Co. He left Saturday to join the land commission at Thomas.

The Y. L. M. I. A. will give their social Saturday evening instead of Friday. It bejng the young ladies' turn to entertain, they will draw for partners, and a delicious free lunch will be served.

Prof. Richardson, of the University of Tucson, spent several days in town the fore part of the week, working in the interest of the midwinter agricultural course that is to be given at the University.

PIMA

Lucy Winsor, of Thatcher, is here visiting with friends.

Roy Kelly has purchased the Robert Ferrin farm north of town.

Lester Boyle has purchased J. W. Mangun's interest in the H B brand of cattle.

C. D. Davis made a business trip to Globe last Monday returning Wednesday.

W. W. McDonald has disposed of his residence, Robert Ferrin being the purchaser.

The Cluff reunion was well attended last Saturday. All report having had an excellent time.

The Young Ladies Association are preparing an entertainment which they expect to present on the 12inst. It is to be quite an elaborate affair.

R. C. Lansden is the proud possessor of an auto. When he starts down town he phones the city marshall to have the streets cleared so he will have full right-of-way.

H. J. Anderson and wife were returning home last Tuesday from the depot when their horse became frightened, and started to run, throwing Mr. Anderson from the buggy and dragging him a short distance. Luckily nothing more serious happened than a broken buggy and a few bruises for Mr. Anderson.

FAIRVIEW

John S. Waddill is able to leave his room and bids fair to recover.

There are no more cases of this nature in the Settlement at present. It seems to be la grippe effecting the head and spine.

Bryan, the twelve-year-old son of David J. Matthews, who died January 20, has followed his father to the Great Beyond, passed away on the sixth of February. Mrs. Matthews has the sympathy of the community in her great bereavement.

SUNDAY SCHOOL APPOINTMENTS

Appointments for members of Sunday School Stake Board for the month of February.

Artesia—E. C. Phillips and Ione Layton.

Central—Lola Mortensen and Inez Maughan.

Globe—S. S. Green.

Fairview—J. David Lee and Ettie Lee.

Layton—Bert Hoopes and E. M. W. Jones.

Lebanon—Blanche Layton and Ella Heywood.

Pima—S. C. Heywood and Ruby Curtis.

Thatcher—Evans Coleman and Eva Echols.

Concert Recitation Matthew, 6.9-13, conducted by Miss Inez Mauhan.

E. C. PHILLIPS,
Superintendent.

Household furniture for sale, enquire of Mrs. B. F. Thum at A. T. Colton's residence. 50-tf

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Twenty acres in Section 18, near Jack Freeman's place. Three-room frame house, corral and piped water from tank. One and a quarter shares of Montezuma Canal water stock. All in alfalfa. It only takes $4,000 to buy this piece of land already to begin living on and producing you something. No man is so far from market as the one who has nothing to sell. You begin making something here immediately.

One hundred and sixty acres near Ft. Thomas, 25 acres grubbed and cleared, all under good fence, two-room adobe house, small hay shed, one plow and tools, 10 shares Ft. Thomas Canal. Plenty of mesquite on the land that is to be cleared. Good market in Safford for wood. $4,000 buys it if you hurry up.

One hundred and twenty acres near Ft. Thomas, eighteen acres below the canal and the balance above. Splendid land and good for any of our kind of crops. Will grow anything that the Gila Valley will. $1,000 down and the balance can be paid in good cows or mules. $1,500 at any old time.

Eight-acre lot in the heart of Central, 660 fruit trees bearing and in perfect shape. The best orchard in the valley. Six-room frame house, corral, granary, pump, cellar, under a perfect fence, two shares in the Union Canal. Some of you young fellows that are getting married can afford this place, as it starts you out with a good working capital and all for $3,600.

Twenty-five acres under the Smithville Canal, in fine shape, 15 alfalfa and 10 grain. World's of water to irrigate all the land. and then some. All for $100 per acre.

One hundred and twenty acres in the Artesian Belt, one well. three and one-half acres in alfalfa, 7 acres in fruit trees and vines. Two-room frame house, all for $2,000.

One hundred and eighty acres in Artesian Belt, one 4-inch well 560 feet deep, throws water 15 inches above casing, one well 150 feet deep, flows 20 gallons per minute, fenced, one mower, one rake, tools of all kinds, plows. Will sell 100 acres, including both wells, 50 acres in cultivation, 20 in alfalfa, 30 grain land, and above machinery, for $3,500. $1,200 down and balance on time, or will sell the 180 for $5,000, $1,200 down and balance on time. All fenced.

We have several more pieces in the Artesian Belt that's just simply fine and you can't beat it if you want to get where you do not have to pay water toll and ditch maintainance.

We have lots in Montclair addition to Safford, Maurer's Addition, and in the Town of Safford. Two lots in Maurer's for $300, near the canal. One two-room house in the Town of Safford and near the main part of town for $500. Three lots near the flour mill, just west, $700.

Eighty acres in Artesian Belt, in the Sand Wash. Land as fertile as any in the Gila Valley. 8 acres in alfalfa, 7 in grain, 50 acres fenced, 1 share in Cienega Ditch. $3,200 cash takes it.

Your time is limited, so do it now before spring opens or you will find that some one else has bought the piece of land that you wanted so bad.

IN MEMORIAM

(Written for THE GUARDIAN.)

The following poem was composed on the death of Comrade Thomas T. Hunter, which occurred February 1, 1913, and is inscribed to his wife and daughters and kindred, as a tribute of the respect and love in which I held him while he lived, and cherish for him now that he has "Passed over the River":

We feel not the Hand of Love,
When the heart is pent up with grief,
Which wafts the weary soul above
The trials of "earth-life" so brief,
To the glory-land of the 'morrow,
Where can come no darkness or night
With their anguish, sickness and sorrow,
To shut out the bright rays of light.

But that Hand in mercy is sent;
Its mission is one full of peace,
For the soul to earth is only lent,
And longs for its hour of release;
When the sword of death shall sever
The ties, which have held it in thrall,
And waft it away forever,
To the Father, who reigns over all.

To the land where love-light is gleaming;
The regions of Heavenly bliss,
Where the light of the "Day-star" is beaming,
And His rays are never remiss;
Where can come no sorrow to sever
The spirit from the realms above,
But basking in bliss forever
It has found the "Source of all Love,"

Dear Comrade, our hearts are now broken;
We grieve for the sight of thy face,
And fondly cling to each token,
Which brings thy image to place;
But our sorrow is not all in vain.
We feel that thy spirit has flown
To join in the Heavenly refrain,
Around our Father's great throne.

—WM. E. STEPHEN.

Safford, Ariz., Feb. 3, 1913.

Superior Court Notice

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham State of Arizona.

In the matter of the Estate of Emily J. Echols, deceased.

Notice To Appear Before Commissioners In Partition.

To Samuel Echols, Joschine Echols, John Echols, Benjiman Echols, M. B. Echols, Amanda Nations, L. J. Echols, Mary Olds, Geo. W. Echols also Alberta Echols and Jack Echols, minors.

You are hereby notified that the undersigned commissioners heretofore appointed to make partition of the above entitled estate, will meet at the office of Stratton & Lynch in the Town of Safford, Graham, County, State of Arizona, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the 24 day of February 1913, to make partition, at which time you may produce testimony relevant to such matters.

W. H. CLARIDGE,
LAWRENCE CLAWSON,
FRANK ROBINSON,
Commissioners.

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